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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed February 25, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and remarks with the concurrent filing of a Request for Continued Examination.